NOTICE OF WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED REGULATIONS

The State of Nevada, Department of Business and Industry, Division of Insurance ("Division"), (775) 687-0700, is proposing the adoption, amendment or repeal of regulations pertaining to **chapter(s)** 616A, 683A, 686A, 689, 686B, 693A and 695C of the Nevada Administrative Code ("NAC"). A workshop has been set for 1:30 p.m., on September 17, 2012, at the Division's office located at 1818 East College Parkway, 1st floor hearing room, Carson City, Nevada 89706. Interested parties may also participate through a simultaneous videoconference conducted at the Bradley Building, 2501 East Sahara Avenue, 2nd floor conference room, Las Vegas, Nevada 89104. The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topics that may be addressed in the proposed regulation(s). Please submit any written comments no later than September 10, 2012.

LCB File No. R053-12. External Reviews and Reapproval Period/Fees.

A regulation relating to insurance; amending provisions relating to the external reviews of adverse determinations of certain health carriers; increasing the fee for reapproval of an independent review organization to conduct external reviews of adverse determinations; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

LCB File No. R054-12. Statutory Reference for Broker/Agent.

A regulation relating to insurance brokers and agents; revising certain references to the terms "broker" and "agent" in provisions governing insurance trade practices; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

LCB File No. R055-12. Repeal of Funeral Agent Examination.

A regulation relating to funeral services; repealing a provision requiring a certain minimum score to pass the examination for a license as an agent authorized to sell prepaid contracts for funeral services; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

LCB File No. R102-12. HMO Schedules of Charges.

A regulation relating to insurance; repealing certain provisions concerning the schedules of charges of health maintenance organizations and provider-sponsored organizations; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

LCB File No. R143-12. Penalties for Failure to File.

A regulation relating to insurance; revising an obsolete reference to Statutes of Nevada establishing the penalties for failure of an insurer to file certain financial and statistical information; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

A copy of all materials relating to the proposal(s) may be obtained at the workshop or by contacting the Division, 1818 East College Parkway, Suite 103, Carson City, Nevada 89706, (775) 687-0700. A reasonable fee for copying may be charged.

Notice of the workshop(s) was provided via electronic means to all persons on the agency's e-mail list for administrative regulations, and this Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulations was posted to the agency's Internet Web site at http://doi.nv.gov/ and provided to or posted at the following locations:

Department of Business and Industry Division of Insurance 1818 East College Parkway, Suite 103 Carson City, NV 89706

Capitol Press Room Capitol Building Basement Carson City, NV 89710

Legislative Counsel Bureau 401 South Carson Street Carson City, NV 89701

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Office of the Governor Capitol Building Carson City, NV 89710

Carson City Library 900 North Roop Street Carson City, NV 89701

Clark County District Library 833 Las Vegas Boulevard North Las Vegas, NV 89101

Elko County Library 720 Court Street Elko, NV 89801

Eureka Branch Library P.O. Box 293 Eureka, NV 89316

Lander County Library P.O. Box 141 Battle Mountain, NV 89820 Department of Business and Industry Division of Insurance 2501 East Sahara Avenue, Suite 302 Las Vegas, NV 89104

Donald W. Reynolds Press Center 102 North Curry Street Carson City, NV 89701

Office of the Attorney General 100 North Carson Street Carson City, NV 89701

Nevada State Library & Archives 100 North Stewart Street Carson City, NV 89701

Carson City Courthouse 885 East Musser Street Carson City, NV 89701

Churchill County Library 553 South Main Street Fallon, NV 89406

Douglas County Library P.O. Box 337 Minden, NV 89423

Esmeralda County Library P.O. Box 430 Goldfield, NV 89013

Humboldt County Library 85 East 5th Street Winnemucca, NV 89445

Lincoln County Library P.O. Box 330 Pioche, NV 89043-0330 Lyon County Library 20 Nevin Way Yerington, NV 89447

Pershing County Library P.O. Box 781 Lovelock, NV 89419

Tonopah Public Library P.O. Box 449 Tonopah, NV 89049

White Pine County Library 950 Campton Street Ely, NV 89301 Mineral County Public Library P.O. Box 1390 Hawthorne, NV 89415

Storey County Public Library P.O. Box 14 Virginia City, NV 89440

Washoe County Library P.O. Box 2151 Reno, NV 89505-2151

Members of the public who are disabled and require special accommodations or assistance at the hearing are requested to notify the Commissioner's secretary in writing at 1818 East College Parkway, Suite 103, Carson City, Nevada 89706, or by calling (775) 687-0700, no later than five (5) working days prior to the hearing.

DATED this **day** of August, 2012.

Commissioner of Insurance